

State of Utah DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

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Michael Stanford Bolcan Mining Corporation 10785 West Twain Avenue, Suite 200 Las Vegas, Nevada 89135

Subject: <u>Deficient Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations, Bolcan Mining Corporation, White Mine, S/001/0081, Beaver County, Utah</u>

Dear Mr. Stanford:

The Division of Oil, Gas and Mining has reviewed the referenced Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations (Notice), and the following items will need to be addressed before it can be determined complete:

- 1. Notice Page 3 Identify the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) file number.
- 2. Notice Page 3 The post-mining land use for this site should be wildlife habitat.
- 3. Notice Page 3 Include the SE¼ of Section 3 in the legal description.
- 4. Supplemental text Pages 2 and 4 Mark the space indicating that roads will be improved, and correct the text on both pages to indicate that the road improvement will cover the actual linear amount of road distance, which is more than the written 40 and 80 feet of improvement (assuming the map is correct). Correct the acreage calculation on Page 3 of the supplemental text as needed.
- 5. Operation Map Please modify the current map as follows:
 - a. The current map states that the scale is 1"=200', while the bar scale indicates otherwise. Correct the scale of the map.
 - b. Clarify on the map whether there is any disturbance for which you are not responsible (such as the visible roads and other disturbance).

The Division will need to receive the BLM's concurrence with the reclamation surety amount before finding the Notice complete and approving the surety and reclamation contract. The Division will also need notice from the BLM that they have give a clearance for cultural resources, but the BLM indicates they have yet to receive a Plan of Operations.

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The Division has received your surety in the amount of \$9,400, as well as permit fees of \$150. The amount of required surety proposed by the Division was determined as follows:

Small Mine Bond Calculation W	orksheet (3-ye	ear Bond Adjusti	ment Period)
Item	Qty	Unit Cost	Total Cost
1st Acre Disturbance	1	\$9,400.00	\$9,400.00
Add'l Acres Disturbance	0	\$5,200.00	\$0.00
Portal Closure	0	\$2,000.00	\$0.00
Additional Mob/de-mob	0	\$2,000.00	\$0.00
TOTAL			\$9,400.00

Please provide your response using Form MR-REV-SMO/EXP, available on the Division's web site.

Please call Peter Brinton at 801-538-5258 or me at 801-538-5261 if you have any questions regarding this letter. In reply, please refer to file number S/001/0081. Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Paul B. Baker

Minerals Program Manager

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cc: Ed Ginouves, BLM-Cedar City (eginouve@blm.gov)
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